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## **SENATE**

. No. 268

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

## Steven C. Panagiotakos

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to protecting the rights of custodial and other non teaching employees of school districts.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                  | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:            |
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| Steven C. Panagiotakos | First Middlsex               |
| Thomas M. McGee        | Third Essex and Middlesex    |
| Anthony D. Galluccio   | Middlesex, Suffolk and Essex |

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF CUSTODIAL AND OTHER NON TEACHING EMPLOYEES OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 59B of Chapter 71 is hereby amended by adding the following
- words at the end of the first paragraph: "In the case of custodial, maintenance and non-teaching
- 3 positions, the hiring, promotion and firing of such employees shall be completed in accordance
- 4 with the provisions of Chapter 31 of the general laws provided that said positions are classified
- 5 as civil service positions. For those positions not covered by civil service, the hiring, promotion
- 6 and firing of such employees shall be completed in accordance with the provisions of the
- 7 existing collective bargaining agreement."